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## Minutes 11/02/2008

Arlington Arts Council-Deliberation Meeting November 2, 2008 Community Safety Building Arlington, MA

**Present:** Karen Dillon, Susan Murie Betsy Campbell, Sharon Shaloo, Tom Formicola, Jean Yoder, Michelle Meagher, Anyahlee Canas, Suzanne McLeod, David Fechtor, Stephanie Marlin-Curiel

Tom Formicola presented opening remarks went over the deliberation meeting process and called the meeting to order at 10:15 am

Council discussed the tremendously successful mural project at the Bus Depot.

Council members met to review proposals and make preliminary recommendations about grant allocations.

We reduced our 5% administrative reserve to \$600 so that we could grant out \$11,500. (rather than 11, 495)

Jean Yoder distributed a copy of the denial letter-which lists the reason why a project is rejected.

Karen excused herself from voting on application # 2 for Arlington Center for the Arts because she knows some of their financial data from serving time on their board.

Applicants recommended for approval pending final confirmation from the MCC:

| 2009-15 | Sudanese Education Fund       |
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| 2009-06 | Dallin Museum                 |
| 2009-1  | Alan Hovhaness Committee      |
| 2009-13 | Teryl Smith                   |
| 2009-16 | Thompson School-Pass Grant    |
| 2009-11 | Yetti Frenkel                 |
| 2009-14 | Joe Snodgrass                 |
| 2009-5  | Rick Berry                    |
| 2009-8  | Rich Clark                    |
| 2009-9  | Delvena Theatre Company       |
| 2009-4  | Berkshire Hills Music         |
| 2009-12 | Marie Ellen Ricciotti         |
| 2009-2  | Arlington Center for the Arts |
| 2009-3  | John Baynard                  |
| 2009-10 | Dan Fox                       |
| 2009-26 | Kate O'Connor                 |
| 2009-7  | Linda Chase                   |

The Council did not grant awards to the following applicants:

Uncle Sam Committee T-Shirt contest

Shunsuke Yamaguchi Japanese Video Project

Phil Buck Explorers Program
Cheryl Christo A Master Class
Gary Jackson Contempaissnce

Liberty Bell Chorus New Music
Noredin Morgan Digital Drawing
National Heritage Museum Revels Rep.
Southeastern Mass. Symphonic Concert

Cheryl Christo

We anticipate granting \$11,500 pending final approval from the state in February.

Respectfully Submitted by Karen A. Dillon